

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Wyman and family plan to leave Friday evening for a week's vacation. They will spend a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cato in Ukiah, Calif. before going on to San Francisco. Mrs. Cato is Mr. Wyman's sister.

Boardman Garden Club Holds Annual Spring Silver Tea

By MRS. FLOSSIE COATS
The Garden club held the annual silver tea in the Community church basement Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Henry Zivney in charge. Out of town guests came from the Hermiston and Umatilla clubs as well as many local guests. Mrs. Nugent of Umatilla gave the highlights of the oncoming district spring flower show which will be in Umatilla May 19.

The tea table was beautifully decorated with a May basket of flowers. Assisting Mrs. Zivney were Mrs. Leo Root, Mrs. Hugh Brown, Mrs. William Nickerson, and Mrs. Bernie McLaughlin, decorations; Mrs. Earl Briggs and Mrs. Nickerson pouring; Mrs. Chas. Anderegg in charge of the antique table; and Mrs. Claud Coats the guest book. Assisting with serving were Mesdames Walter Wyss, Ralph Earwood, Glenn Carpenter, Tim Rippee Frank Cole and Truman Pearson. Adolf Skubo is again shipping asparagus after a slowdown of a few days due to cold weather. Miss Georgia Landers became the bride of James Helfrich of Mt. Vernon Thursday, April 26, at 12:15 p.m. in Pasco, Wash. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Andy Duncan, and the groom is

the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gunderson. The young couple left immediately for Mt. Vernon where Helfrich has employment. Both Mrs. Duncan and Mrs. Gunderson were present at the wedding.

Miss Jocelyn Fancher and Mrs. Izetta May of the state health department were in Boardman school Wednesday giving hearing tests to many of the students.

Honor roll students in the Boardman high school for the past six weeks ending April 13 were Ensley Rogers, Grace Miller, Leonard Olmstead, Joyce Cram, Tim Robinson, Bob Sicard, and Keith Tannehill. Those with honorable mention were Ora Ely, Don Gillespie, Pete Cassidy, Dolores Zivney, Dorie Roeser, and Nancy Rands.

The Boardman high school baseball nine added another victory to the list Friday when they beat the Stanfield nine on the Boardman field with a score of 7-3. Batteries for Boardman were Palmer and Ely.

Mrs. Ruth Studer spent the week-end in Portland with her son and parents.

E. T. Messenger, Truman Messenger Jr., Mrs. Emma Delano and Mrs. Olive Atteberry spent Thursday in Hermiston.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Pieratt and son Gary left April 24 for Long Beach, Calif. for a visit with Pieratt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Pieratt Sr. Pieratt Jr., naval reserve, is to report May 29 in Seattle for duty.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Allen returned home April 25 from Los Angeles, Calif., where they had been for 10 days. Their son Gene who is in the navy and stationed in San Diego, and is soon to leave for Japan, was with them part of the time. Mrs. Allen's step-father, Roy Rordell of Los Angeles, returned here for a stay with the Allens.

Mrs. Frank Cole returned Saturday from Portland where she spent Saturday with relatives.

Buster Rands, Robert Harwood and Nate Macomber spent the week-end in Culver for the opening of fishing season. The party stopped at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Royal Rands. Mrs. Nate Macomber spent the time in Pendleton at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Gilbert Pettes.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Dewesse who have been in Corvallis the past two weeks looking after property interests returned to Boardman Monday.

Mrs. Henry Zivney, Mrs. W. E. Garner, and Mrs. Gilbert Califf returned home Friday from Seaside where they attended the PTA convention.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Thomas and son Bucky of Bend were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Marlow. The two ladies are sisters.

Many Boardman ladies motored to Heppner Monday taking dresses, chairs and stools made during the Home Extension classes, to the spring festival.

EXAMINER COMING
A drivers license examiner will be on duty between the hours of 9:30 a. m. and 3:30 p. m. Tuesday, May 15, at the city hall in Heppner. Persons wishing licenses or permits to drive are asked to get in touch with the examiner well ahead of the scheduled closing hour in order to insure completion of their applications with a minimum of delay.

Miss Beverly Carey and Wallace Hatter of Heppner were married Saturday in Walla Walla. Mrs. Hatter is the daughter of Mrs. John Jackson.

Lexington Neighbors Saddened by Death Of Mrs. Groves

Lexington community was deeply shocked and grieved Sunday by the tragic death of Mrs. Betty Groves of this city, in a plane crash south of Heppner. Mrs. Groves leaves to mourn her passing, three children, Larry Maureen and Anita, all of Lexington, and her mother and two sisters in Iowa. The three children are visiting at the Archie Munkers home.

The Lexington Three Links club was hostess for a pink and blue shower honoring Mrs. Eldon Padberg at the Robert Davidson home one night last week. Games were played and refreshments were served after the honoree opened her many lovely gifts.

Mrs. Eugene Majeske is a patient in St. Anthony's hospital in Pendleton.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Green have sold their home to Mr. and Mrs. Oral Wright and have moved to Heppner. He will continue to work in Lexington.

The Lexington city well contract has been let to A. M. Edwards with the contract calling for a 10-inch hole. Work is to start immediately.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bloodsworth went to The Dalles Tuesday for him to receive medical attention.

Guests at the W. E. McMillan home Sunday where they enjoyed a turkey dinner honoring Mr. and Mrs. George Irvin's wedding anniversary were Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Jones and children, Patty McMillan, John Spence, Mr. and Mrs. George Irvin and daughter, Glenn Richardson of Union, and Mr. and Mrs. McMillan.

Glenn Richardson of Union spent the week-end at the C. C. Jones home.

The young crusader class of the Heppner Christian church entertained the young adult class of the Lexington church with a party Monday. Those attending from here were Mr. and Mrs. Truman Messenger Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Don Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hughes and Mr. and Mrs. Bill B. Marquardt.

Mr. and Mrs. Newt O'Hara were Pendleton visitors one day last week.

OBSERVING MOTHER'S DAY

Ruth chapter No. 32, Order of the Eastern Star, has arranged a special observance of both Mother's day and Father's day. It will be on regular chapter night, May 11. The worthy matron, Mrs. Floyd Worden, urges the membership to keep the event in mind and be on hand.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Medical patients: Mrs. R. D. Allstott Jr. Ordinance; Mrs. Frank Lindsey, Morgan; Bryon Turner, Lexington; Mary Marley, Kinzua; Sam Esteb, Ione; Marion Olson, Heppner; Mrs. Corda Saling, Heppner.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Garland Swanson a baby boy, April 25, weight 9 pounds, 3 ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Vincent a baby girl April 26, who died shortly following birth.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Manske, Kinzua, a baby girl, April 29, weight 9 pounds, 4 ounces.

Out patients: Mrs. Doris Wilson, Heppner; Gail Potter, Condon.

Mrs. Raymond Ferguson has been a patient at St. Vincent's hospital in Portland this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Green sold their home in Lexington to Mr. and Mrs. Oral Wright and in turn bought the Paul Warren residence in Heppner, and moved in Saturday. The place is on Riverside drive.

Mrs. Grace Turner is planning to leave Heppner soon to make her home in Seattle. Her son Raymond took a load of her effects over Wednesday.

Mrs. Nina L. Dodson flew from California to Canada to visit an older sister and at the conclusion of her stay there decided to visit her son, G. H. Dodson, in Heppner for a few weeks.

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Harry F. Wood

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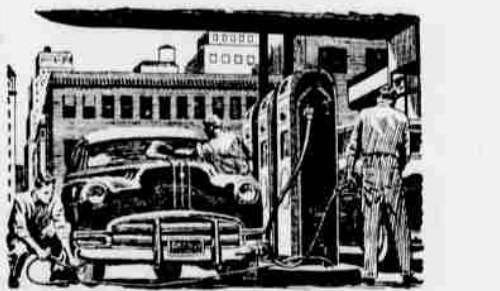
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